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MEMORANDUM FOR: Deputy Assistant Director
for Special Activities

SUBJECT : IDEALIST Mission Plan Proliferation

REFERENCE : Memo from DAD/OSA to D/FA and C/SS/OSA;
dated 6 May 1965; Subject: Same as Above
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25X1A9a₁. I have discussed the referenced memorandum with [REDACTED] 25X1A9a
[REDACTED], who has also discussed it with [REDACTED] 25X1A9a

25X1A9a I am advised that [REDACTED] agrees with the substance of
your concern and proposes that the legitimate needs of the
community can readily be met by the Intelligence Officer
representing OSA at the COMOR, leaving off mission numbers
and dates but indicating areas where missions are expected
to go as soon as weather permits. This, of course, refers
to pre-mission, not post-mission information. Thus, a
rewrite of the COMOR Minute referenced in paragraph 2 of
your memorandum would, under this concept, show as follows:
"A mission is planned to cover the Formosa Strait area
between Foochow and Shanghai in response to a [REDACTED] require- 25X1X7
ment, as soon as weather permits. Weather continues to be
unfavorable for coverage of South China." [REDACTED] feels, 25X1A9a
and I agree, that in today's concern over the South China
area and the attitudes evidenced by the Board for quite
some time, it would be unwise not to explain at least the
areas against which we are currently planning and awaiting
weather.

2. You will have the full cooperation of this office
and of COMOR in the future in responding to your concern.

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[REDACTED]
Lt. Colonel USAF
Deputy for Field Activities, OSA
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